

# TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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## NOTICE OF AVAILABLE TERMS AND CONDITIONS

**IN RE:**                    **Petition of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. to Convene a Contested Case to Establish "Permanent Prices" for Interconnection and Unbundled Network Elements**

**DOCKET NO:**        **97-01262**

**DATE:**                **May 25, 2001**

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Pursuant to Section 251(c) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, the Authority convened Docket No. 97-01262, *In re: Petition of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. to Convene a Contested Case to Establish "Permanent Prices" for Interconnection and Unbundled Network Elements*. During the proceedings in this docket, the Authority addressed an issue regarding the application of FCC Rule 51.315(b), which prevents BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") from separating elements it "currently combines." As to that issue, the Authority determined that BellSouth must provide combinations to Competing Local Exchange Carriers ("CLECs") as long as BellSouth provides the combinations to itself anywhere in its network.

The purpose of this Notice is to notify CLECs that BellSouth has a duty to comply with FCC Rule 51.315(b) as construed by this agency. All CLECs are entitled to receive terms and conditions consistent with the Authority's orders in this docket. To obtain these terms and conditions, CLECs should notify BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. in writing.

Copies of the Authority's orders in this docket may be obtained from the Authority's website, [www.state.tn.us/tra](http://www.state.tn.us/tra) (Docket No. 97-01262), or by contacting the Authority's Executive Secretary, K. David Waddell, at (615) 741-3191, extension 142.

FOR THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

K. David Waddell, Executive Secretary

cc: Parties of Record  
Competing Local Exchange Carriers

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